

# JAP15Rec'd PCT/PTO 22 FEB 200

#### OCB-228-A

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Ozaki et al.

Serial Number:

10/580,920

International App:

PCT/JP04/15586

International Filing: 21 October 2004

371 Filing Date:

unknown

Group Art Unit:

Unknown

Examiner:

Examiner unknown

Confirmation No.:

9234

Title:

**Steering Handle And Steering System** 

## Notification Of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 In The United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)

Mail Stop Missing Parts **Commissioner For Patents** Post Office Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Requirements Under under 35 U.S.C. 371 In the United States Designated/Elected Office dated 12 February 2007, applicant encloses the required Declaration.

Also enclosed is the return copy of the Notice To File Missing Parts.

Respectfully submitted,

Customer Number 21828 Carrier, Blackman & Associates, P.C. 24101 Novi Road, Suite 100 Novi, Michigan 48375 20 February 2007

Joseph P. Carrier Attorney for Applicant Registration Nr. 31,748

(248) 344-4422

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner For Patents, Post Office Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on 20 February 2007.

Dated: 20 February 2007

JPC/pmp

Paula M. Patterson



#### United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS PO. Box 1450 Alexandra, Virginia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

\*OC000000022380599\*

ATTY. DOCKET NO. FIRST NAMED APPLICANT U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO. OCB-228-A Takafumi OZAKI 10/580,920 INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP04/15586 21828 PRIORITY DATE I.A. FILING DATE CARRIER BLACKMAN AND ASSOCIATES 10/21/2004 12/01/2003 24101 NOVI ROAD SUITE 100 百马 1 長 2007 **CONFIRMATION NO. 9234 NOVI, MI 48375** and the second of the second o **371 FORMALITIES LETTER** 

Date Mailed: 02/12/2007

# NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/30/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 05/30/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/30/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/30/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/30/2006

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

Registered users of EFS-Web may alternatively submit their reply to this notice via EFS-Web. <a href="https://sportal.uspto.gov/authenticate/AuthenticateUserLocalEPF.html">https://sportal.uspto.gov/authenticate/AuthenticateUserLocalEPF.html</a>

For more information about EFS-Web please call the USPTO Electronic Business Center at 1-866-217-9197 or

visit our website at http://www.uspto.gov/ebc.

If you are not using EFS-Web to submit your reply, you must include a copy of this notice.

FRANCINE YOUNG

Telephone: (703) 308-9140 EXT 215

PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
10/580,920	PCT/JP04/15586	OCB-228-A

FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 (371 Formalities Notice)

Copy To Be Returned With Response